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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
AKITO TANAKA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: NGUYEN, BAO THUY L.
SERIAL NO: 10/533,237 :
FILED: APRIL 29, 2005 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1641
FOR: METHOD OF IMMOBILIZING :
COMPOUND ON SOLID PHASE
SUPPORT

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated November 19, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.